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Attorney Docket No. 24487

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

TEMME et al.

Serial No.: 09/768,274

Group Art Unit: 1714

Date Filed: January 25, 2001

Examiner: P. Niland

Title: **USE OF AQUEOUS POLYURETHANE DISPERSIONS IN
FORMULATIONS FOR SPORTS FLOOR COVERINGS**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

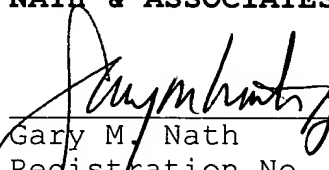
- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Response to Under 37 CFR 1.111; and
- (3) Attachments 1-3.

If an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 is required to keep this application pending and has not been separately requested, then an extension of time is expressly requested herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action dated August 30, 2004. The three month shortened statutory period for response is set to expire November 30, 2004. Accordingly, this Response is timely filed.

Applicants respectfully submit that this under 37 CFR 1.111 should be entered into the case because the remarks place the application in condition for allowance. Therefore, in view of the following remarks, applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections, and allow all claims pending in this application.